



■ *porcelain-on-aluminum tile*

■ *enamel on aluminum or steel tile*

■ *clear enamel on polished copper tile*

■ *polished stainless-steel tile*

■ *plastic tile*

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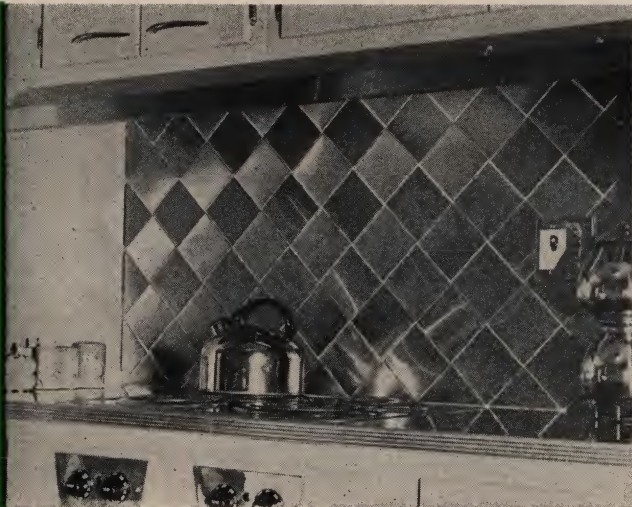
VIKON TILE

Corporation



WASHINGTON, NEW JERSEY

vikon metal tiles



Vikon's keynote is quality

Vikon products are known and respected, not only in the United States but throughout the world.

Our business philosophy is that we are selling much more than tile products. We are selling the comfort and satisfaction that surfacing with reliable Vikon Tiles can give you through the years.

Vikon Tiles, therefore, are quality products. They are individually stamped to precise dimensions, sprayed and processed under carefully controlled conditions.

All tiles are individually inspected to assure that they will be as free of dust spots, scratches, and other blemishes as we can possibly make them.

Additional detailed information and architectural specifications on any one type of Vikon Tile may be had on request from your local Vikon dealer or by writing direct to the factory. Step-by-step installation folders are also available for both metal and plastic tiles.

Our trade-mark is your assurance of this manufacturing responsibility—of this quality of product.

advantages

Vikon metal tiles are "The Original Individual Metal Tiles," having been on the market since 1926. Years of painstaking research have made them the best metal tiles that you can specify and install. Here are some of their advantages:

A wide choice of types—synthetic-resin enameled steel and aluminum; porcelain on aluminum; nickel-chrome stainless steel; transparent-enameled copper.

A wide range of beautiful colors in pastel, dark, powdered, and hammered effects.

Extremely light in weight. Including the mastic, aluminum tiles weigh only 12 to 14 oz. per square foot; enameled steel, copper, or stainless-steel tiles weigh only 16 to 18 oz. per square foot.

Can be installed over **most existing wall surfaces** without changing kitchen and bath accessories.

Can be **cut or bent to fit** around existing wall or ceiling fixtures, tricky corners, angles, or curves.

Subjected to normal use, no **cracking, chipping, or crazing** of finish.

Easy to clean with a mild solution of soap and water. Keep that "new look" for years.

Relatively easy to install. Tile for an average bathroom of 100 to 120 sq. ft. can be installed by a professional in less than two days.

Excellent structural stability. No perceptible expansion or contraction, buckling, or warping.

The enamels and mastic will not support combustion.

materials

Vikon metal tiles are individual tiles stamped from sheets of aluminum, mild steel, stainless steel, or copper. Enameled tiles are sprayed with synthetic-resin enamel and precision-baked in a gas-fired convection oven. Porcelain-on-aluminum tiles are sprayed with a du Pont vitreous porcelain and fired in a scientifically controlled electric oven at 1,000 F. The baking and firing provide hard, durable surfaces plus a high gloss that is remarkably resistant to acids and alkalis. Only stainless steel is uncoated. All tiles, including those coated with porcelain, can be bent or cut for fitting.

synthetic-resin enamels used on steel, aluminum, and copper will not mar or fade with normal use. The synthetic enamels are automatically sprayed on the tile to an average thickness of 0.0012" and cured by baking at 300 F for 15 min. Detailed test results are available from the factory upon request.

porcelain on aluminum is a completely new development in a vitreous ceramic coating perfected by the du Pont Company for application to an aluminum base. The same aluminum base is used as is described under "Aluminum Tiles." This porcelain finish has superior resistance to acids and alkalis. It can be easily cut and is practically chip-proof under normal use. The porcelain, as in all glazed ceramics, is fired at a high heat to provide a beautiful, smooth, hard, glass surface.

steel tiles are stamped from electro-zinc-plated, bonderized, 28-gauge (0.015") steel and then completely enveloped by an epon-resin-base, zinc-chromate coating which makes the best possible surface for enameling and provides maximum resistance to corrosion.

aluminum tiles are stamped from 25-gauge (0.020") 3S aluminum, alodized (etched and coated with aluminum phosphate) to prevent any form of corrosion and to provide the best surface for enameling.

stainless-steel tiles are stamped from 28-gauge #302 alloy (8% nickel, 18% chrome). Finished to a #3 polish (100 grit), these tiles have a highly attractive, nonreflective, grained surface. The polished stainless steel is uncoated but is protected against stamping damage by an adhesive paper. An economy stainless-steel tile is available in a satin mill finish.

copper tiles are stamped from 28-gauge (0.015") solid copper polished to a satin finish and coated on front and rear with a superior, transparent synthetic-resin enamel to protect against corrosion and tarnish.

mastic

Manufactured exclusively for the Vikon Tile Corporation, this mastic is composed of white pigment, vegetable oils, and filler. It is white in color, water-proof, and of good troweling consistency. A pound covers approximately 2 sq. ft. of wall for a standard-bevel-tile installation. Excess mastic forced out at the

joints is pointed to form the grout lines. Other types of mastic are available to meet special needs.

standards of quality

The utilization of zinc plating, bonderizing, and envelopment of the surfaces with zinc chromate contributes to the high quality of Vikon resin-enameled steel tile. The tile is warranted to be highly resistant to any form of corrosion. It is rigid and firm, resists denting, and has a negligible expansion-contraction factor.

The metal in Vikon's enameled aluminum tile is corrosion-proof because of chemical treatment (alodizing) prior to enamel application. Because of its greater thickness, it is equal to steel in its dent-resisting quality and in its expansion-contraction factor. Identical enamel is used on both steel and

aluminum tiles. It is highly resistant to ordinary household chemicals such as are found in soaps, foods, alcohol, fats, and many medicinal preparations. An enamel thickness of 1.2 mils is constantly maintained, and colors will not fade under normal home conditions.

accessories and instructions

In addition to the standard shapes and sizes of tiles shown, a complete line of installation tools, including a bevel-restoring tile cutter and a tile bender, is available. The cutter can be adjusted to cut to any desired size and, while cutting, bevels the cut edge to the same shape as the original one. A complete manual of specifications and installation as well as several specialized condensed installation manuals are available.

vikon tile technical data

preparation of wall surface

Vikon metal tiles can be applied directly to existing plaster walls, plasterboard, or other firm, dry, smooth surfaces. Studding of 16" or less, set plumb, is essential to avoid any possible warping, contraction, or expansion of walls. Materials of $\frac{1}{8}$ " thickness should not be used unless they are solidly backed. Old wainscoting should be removed entirely or covered with some other recommended wall material. Scaly paint, calcimine, wallpaper, whitewash, linoleum, or other foreign matter should be removed entirely. All cavities and cracks in the plaster or wall surface should be filled with patching plaster. Eliminate all raised surfaces or bumps. Where oil-base Vikon Mastic is used, shellac is required as a wall-surface sealer.

(Note: For complete details on the installation of Vikon metal tiles, see Vikon's *Manual of Specifications and Installation*.)

typical specifications

Metal (or plastic) tile described below shall be a standard commercial product similar to that manufactured by the Vikon Tile Corporation wherein the enamel-coated steel tiles shall be manufactured from 28-gauge, cold-rolled steel of 0.015" thickness, coated on both sides with a 2-oz. electrically applied zinc plating, immediately bonderized, and spray-coated with Vikon's exclusive, completely enveloping, zinc-chromate primer.

Enamel-coated aluminum tiles shall be manufactured from 25-gauge 3S half-hard aluminum of 0.020" thickness and chemically treated by the alodizing-process standards.

Stainless-steel tiles shall be manufactured from an alloy of 18% chrome and 8% nickel of 0.015" thickness and furnished in a #3 polish with protective paper coating or in a mill-finish satin surface.

Copper tiles shall be manufactured from half-hard solid copper of 0.015" thickness and coated on front and rear with a baked-on, transparent synthetic-resin enamel.

Porcelain-on-aluminum tiles shall be manufactured from 0.025" aluminum and coated on both sides with

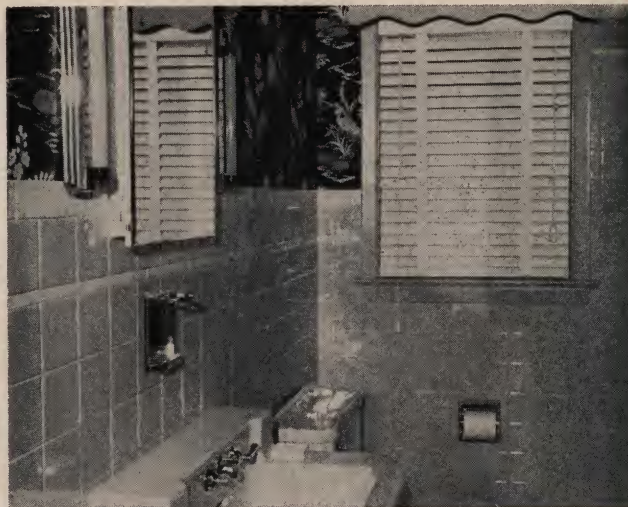
a porcelain ceramic finish (0.0020" on rear, 0.0030" on face).

Plastic tiles shall be manufactured from polystyrene, and the tile wall shall be not less than 0.063" thickness, squarely molded and without dimensional distortion.

Tiles shall be furnished in standard sizes and bevels and shall include all special shapes, corner beads, etc., manufactured by Vikon. Color shall match the selected samples. Tiles shall be cemented to surface with waterproof Vikon Mastic, and the installation shall be made in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

colors

All Vikon Tile colors were carefully selected to fit into almost any decorative scheme. The pastels are either solid or powdered and the dark colors are rich and clear. The hammered tones have an attractive and unique pattern. There is a range of 26 colors in field and trim tiles from which to make a selection.



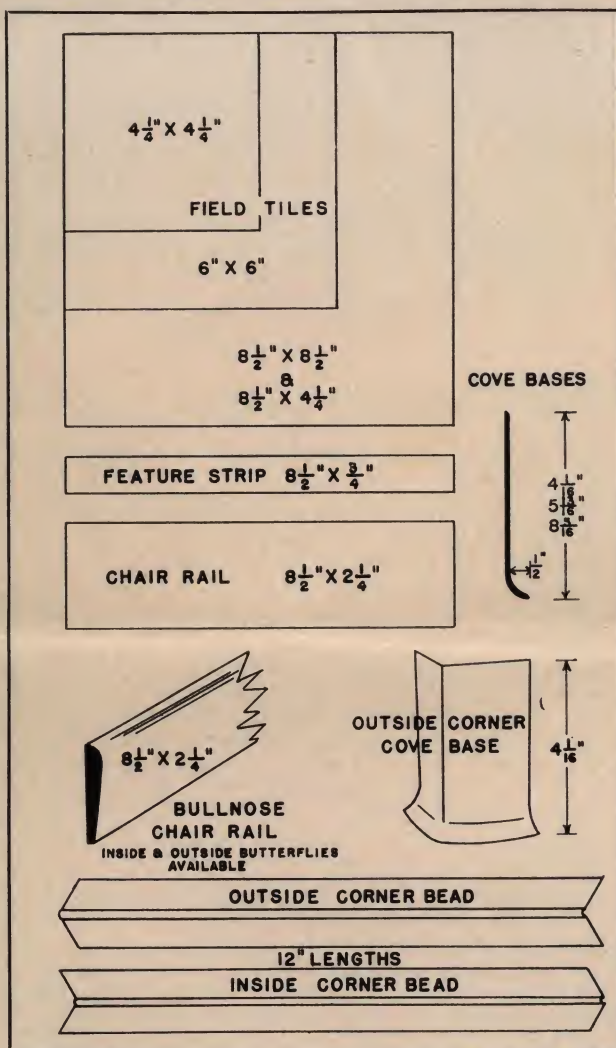
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metal-tile sizes and shapes

Vikon Tiles are available in the sizes and shapes shown in the accompanying illustration. Because Vikon Tiles are easy to cut and form, additional sizes and shapes, to fit unusual requirements, can be made by the installer on the job.

Vikon Tiles are available in a newly developed "60" bevel. The cavity of this bevel is 0.060".



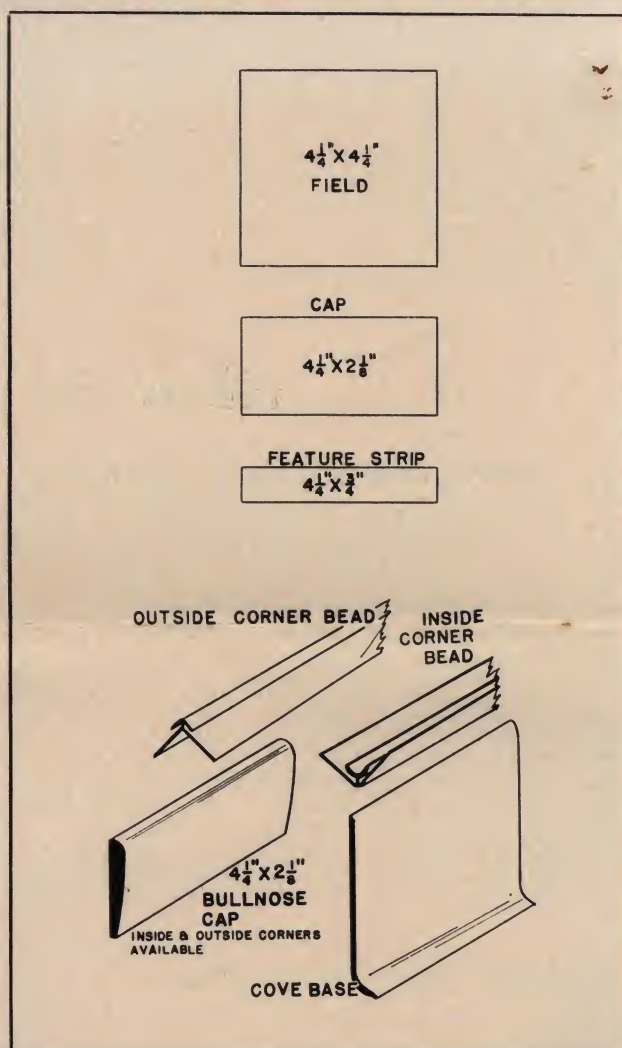
warranty

THE VIKON TILE CORPORATION warrants Vikon Tile and Mastic sold by it to be free from imperfections in material and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of 1 year from date of original installation when installed in accordance with printed instructions issued by the Corporation, provided installation is made in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

plastic tile

Vikon plastic tile is a quality product for this type of wall covering. The design, color, and manufacturing techniques are closely controlled.

The bevel is smoothly rolled to a perpendicular edge. Corner and bevel surfaces are rounded, with no pronounced ridges. The wall thickness is approximately 0.063" and meets the requirements of the U.S. Bureau



of Standards for a high-quality plastic tile. A thin-gauge (0.048") plastic tile, Norseline, is also available. All standard sizes and shapes are shown in the accompanying illustration. A wide range of colors, both plain and marbled, is available.

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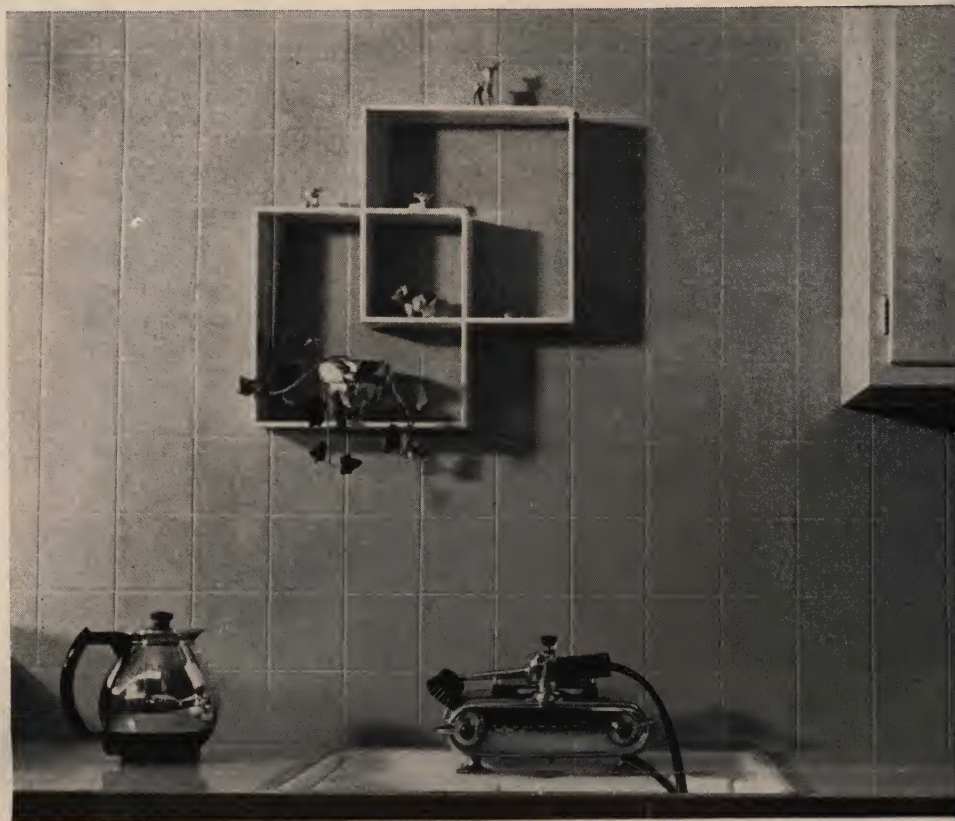
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VIKON INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Vikon metal wall tiles have been developed by our engineering staff who drew on the vast amount of knowledge obtained in our twenty-six years of manufacturing the best-known metal tile. Because we know where the "bugs" will develop, we are able to design our tiles in such a way they will be easy to install, easy to keep clean, and will give lasting service.

Vikon metal tile is coated with the best quality of enamel. The fast colors have a very high degree of resistance to ordinary household chemicals. The enameled surface of the tile is hard and will withstand considerable rubbing in the process of maintaining cleanliness. The hard, glossy enameled surface is also highly resistant to scratching and marring. Neither grease nor dirt can penetrate the finish. When installed, Vikon metal tile will give your bathroom, kitchen, powder room, and utility room a colorful beauty of which you will be proud.



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WALL TILES

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**FOLLOW THESE TILING
INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE
BEST RESULTS**

Throughout the text all number and letter combinations, such as (1-C), denote you are to refer to Fig. 1, at C.

Figure 1. These are dimensions for standard tiles. To cut tile, use tin snips (2-G); to bend, slip tile in the groove (2-E) and bend down; to cove, bend tile (2-E) over dowel. Base tiles may be coved to the floor (1-C).

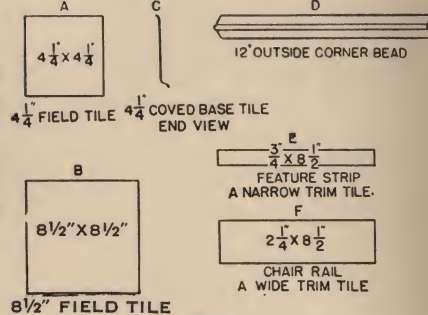


FIG. 1

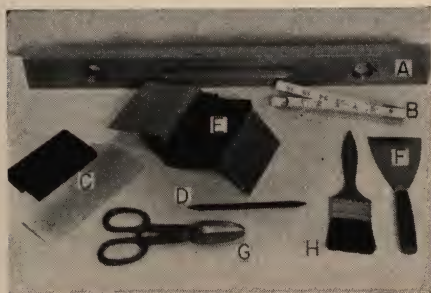


FIG. 2

**THESE TOOLS
AND MATERIALS
ARE ALL YOU
WILL NEED**



FIG. 3

Figure 2. All tools shown above and listed below are essential:

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| A. Level | E. Bending-coving tool |
| B. Rule | F. Mastic applicator |
| C. Mastic spreading gauge | G. Tin snips |
| D. Pointing tool | H. Shellac brush |

Your Vikon dealer or the factory can supply a tool kit (Fig. 21).

Figure 3. You will need 1 qt. of 4-lb.-cut orange shellac to cover 100 sq. ft. (two coats), a cheap brush, soft cleaning rags, 1 1/4 lb. of Vikon Metal Tile Mastic for each 2 sq. ft. of tile, and, for future maintenance, a can of Vikon Cream Wax. Refer to cleaning and maintenance instructions accompanying your tile.

THESE ARE SUGGESTED LAYOUT DESIGNS

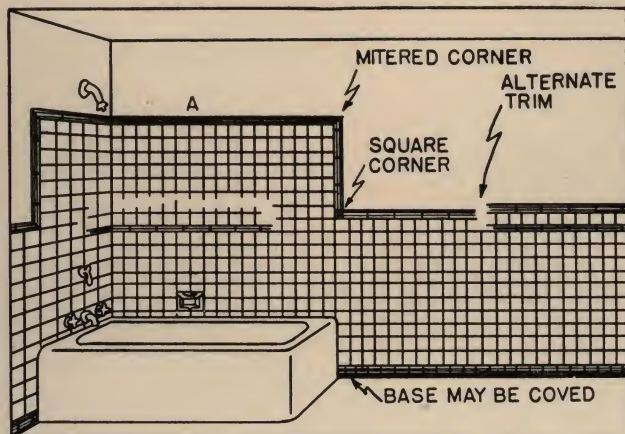


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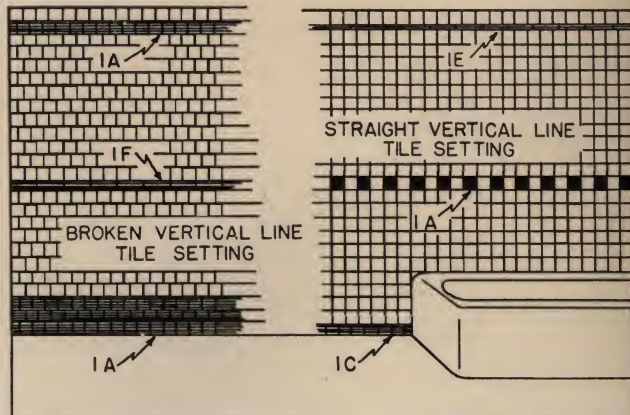


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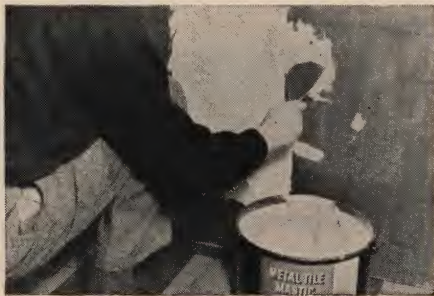


FIG. 11



FIG. 12



FIG. 13

APPLYING THE MASTIC

Figure 11. Using a scraper (2-F), roughly spread approximately $\frac{1}{8}$ " of mastic over the wall. Do not exceed an area of 15 sq. ft. at a time and do not cover guidelines (13-B). Cover mastic can when not in use. Do not use mastic to build up cavities. Use patching plaster.

Figure 12. With the spreading gauge (2-C) held at a 90-deg. angle, stroke the mastic-covered area to remove excess mastic. Look for spots where mastic has been applied thinner than depth of notches—apply more mastic here, and restroke. Keep spreader teeth free of dry mastic.

Figure 13. If wallpaper is to be applied above the tile, keep the mastic $\frac{3}{4}$ " below the level line (13-C) to prevent mastic oil from seeping into the paper. A thin line of shellac painted on the wall at the top edge of the tile (13-D) as a sealer will also prevent oil seepage.

Too much mastic causes tiles to bulge and slide. Too little mastic will cause tiles to drop off. Apply mastic at room temperature of 60 to 80 deg. Mastic seldom needs thinning. Clean mastic from tools before leaving job. Mineral spirits, gaso-

line, or turpentine will remove mastic from tools, hands, and clothing. Mastic can be easily wiped from other surfaces. If tile cannot be set within 1 hour, remove mastic from wall. For other details read instructions on the mastic container.

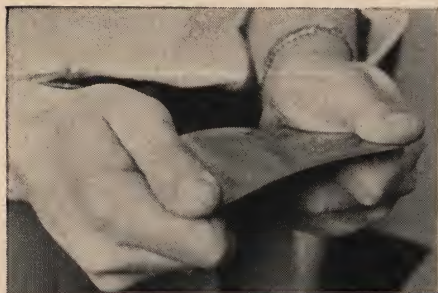


FIG. 14

SETTING THE TILES

Figure 14. Slightly flex inward all four corners of each tile before setting. Flexing will prevent protruding corners and ensure that each corner will be snugly embedded in the mastic. Avoid kinking when flexing the tiles. Flex each tile separately. Remove and flex again if tile does not fit snugly to wall at the corners.

Figure 15. When setting, hold tile at 30-deg. angle and place top edge in mastic $\frac{1}{8}$ " (15-A) under tile already set above and $\frac{1}{8}$ " away from tile at the side (15-B). Slide tile upward squarely against the adjacent tile and at the same time create a bead of mastic at the joint.

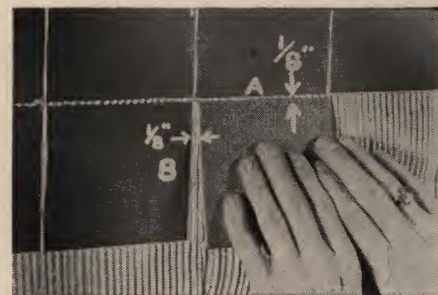


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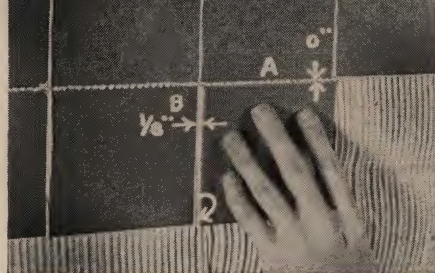


FIG. 16

Figure 16. Holding bottom of tile 30 deg. from wall, *snap* it into the mastic. Snapping will force air from beneath the tile and create a vacuum. Then:

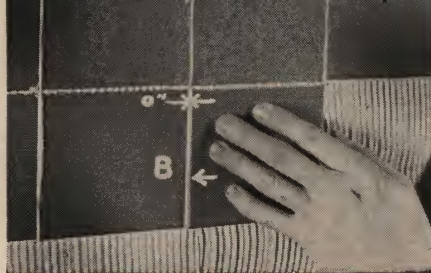


FIG. 17

Figure 17. Place four fingers on the center of the tile and slide it horizontally into place and at the same time create a bead of mastic at the side joint (17-B).

THE FINISHING TOUCHES



FIG. 18

After a large area of tiles is set, point the tile joint by removing a portion of the mastic bead with the pointing tool (2-D). Leave a *uniform* line of mastic approximately $\frac{1}{16}$ " wide around each tile.



FIG. 19

Figure 19. After using the pointing tool, wipe the remaining mastic from the tiles with a soft cloth. Avoid dragging the cloth into the joint. Remove all mastic from *face* of tiles at this time. Rub very lightly.



FIG. 20

Figure 20. Lightly rubbing a dampened finger over the grout joint will smooth over the mastic and bring about a more uniform white line. At least 24 hours after the installation is complete, polish tile surface with a soft cloth treated lightly with Vikon Cream Wax.



FIG. 21

Figure 21. You may buy this tool kit from your dealer or the factory. The kit contains all items shown in Fig. 2 except the level and rule. Experience shows that most homes have a ruler and level, or either can be readily borrowed.

THE VIKON SELF-INSTALLATION TOOL KIT

AUTHORIZED DEALER

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Avoid too many colors—at most, use two on walls and white with wall trim in ceiling. Two solid colors on opposing walls with no trim is popular.

For more detail on ceiling installation secure Supplemental Installation Instruction B. If not enclosed with order, it can be obtained free from the factory or your local dealer.

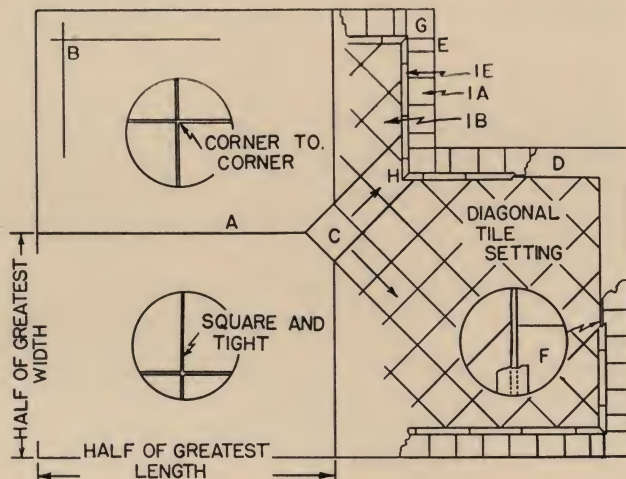


FIG. 6

LAYING OUT GUIDELINES—IMPORTANT

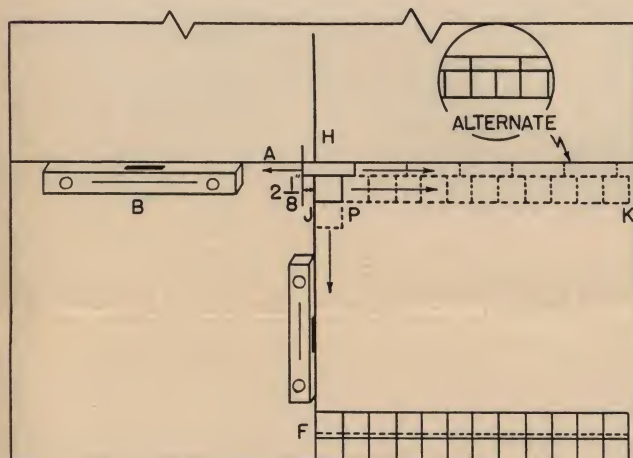


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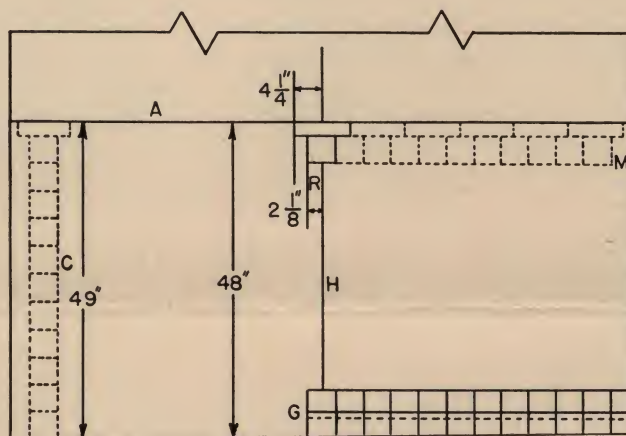


FIG. 8

be raised to approximately the height of the shower head (9-A).

A vertical line (7-H and 8-H) in the exact center of each wall is also required. Starting at the vertical line, set lines across the wall, then work downward (7-P) course by course to the floor. If butting the edge of the first square tile against the vertical line (7-J) requires a very narrow tile (less than 1") at each end of the wall (7-K), merely slide the first tile to the left, crossing the vertical line (8-R) by $2\frac{1}{8}$ ".

Cut and set corner tiles after all others have been set. (13-A).

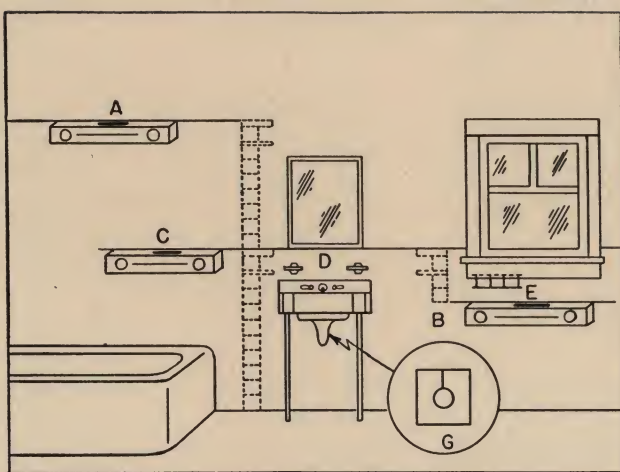


FIG. 9

When tiling beneath or above a window (9-B), draw the level line to connect a course on both sides.

It is advisable to continue the wainscot level line (9-C) through the shower area as a check line. The bottom of the recessed portion of the medicine cabinet usually rests on top of the chair rail (9-D).

Often the casing of windows and doors can be pried out to allow a portion of tile to slide in back (9-E), thus avoiding a cut. Holes for pipes (9-G) are cut by tin snips or curved chisel or gouge.

It is recommended that screw-on fixtures be used. Secure Supplemental Installation Instruction A (free from factory or your local dealer) if recessed fixtures are to be used.

Outside corners can be made by three different methods: (1) outside corner beads (1-D)

Vikon Tile can be applied directly to existing plaster, plasterboard, or other firm, dry, tight, rigid, smooth, clean, well-studded wallboards. Avoid $\frac{1}{8}$ " materials unless well nailed to solid wood backing, $\frac{1}{4}$ " materials (plywood) unless well studded, ordinary boards, old wood wainscoting, rough concrete, and walls which constantly sweat. Wood wainscoting must be removed or covered with Masonite, sheetrock, or plywood well nailed. Scaly paint, calcimine, whitewash, wallpaper, linoleum, or any foreign matter must be removed from wall. A good tight coat of oil paint need only be checked for blisters and given one coat of shellac. Fill all cavities and cracks with patching plaster, cut down all bumps, square up each corner. Either

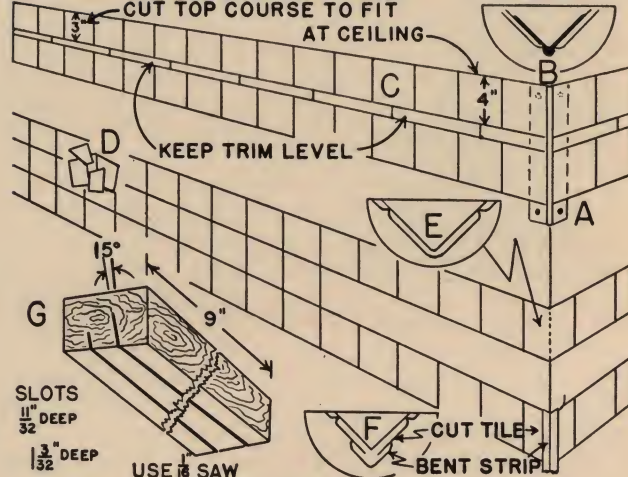


FIG. 10

nailed or cemented to the corner (10-A) starting beveled edge of tile at the bead (10-B); (2) bending a field tile around the corner (10-E) using tile bender (2-E); or (3) bending feature strips or chair rails (1-E or 1-F) lengthwise to form a cap, covering edges of cut tiles (10-F). The bending tool is illustrated in (10-G). Your dealer will advise which of these methods is most practical for your particular installation. Inside corner beads are available; however, butting tiles at the inside corner is more desirable.

If, when tiling to the ceiling, you find the ceiling line to be irregular (10-C), maintain a level trim and cut the top course of $4\frac{1}{4}$ " tiles to compensate for the irregularity.

Cavities are usually patched with patching plaster; however, in small shallow cavities, pieces of scrap tile (10-D) cemented to the wall can be used to build up the surface.

PREPARING THE WALL SURFACE

remove wood baseboard entirely and patch with plasterboard or tile only down to the baseboard. After wall surface is put in proper shape and all guidelines are drawn, apply two coats of orange shellac. Avoid substitutes. If shellac is heavy, cut with alcohol. A well-sealed wall will have a shiny surface. Have room well ventilated when applying shellac. Shellac prevents the mastic oil from being absorbed by the walls; therefore, be sure to have a good seal. *Shellac will not adhere to a damp wall. Avoid spattering shellac.*

If shellac turns pink immediately after application, hot spots exist in the plaster. A solution of 1 part zinc sulphate to 4 parts water must be brushed on 12 hours before continuing with shellac.



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METAL WALL TILE

solid
copper



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METAL WALL TILE

stainless
steel

SPECIFICATIONS

Enamel-coated, chromitized steel tiles shall be a standard commercial product similar to that manufactured by the Vikon Tile Corporation and shall be manufactured from cold-rolled steel of 0.015" thickness, coated on both sides with a 2-oz. electrically applied zinc plating, immediately bonderized, and spray-coated with Vikon's exclusive, completely enveloping, zinc-chromate primer.

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SIZES AND SHAPES

Field— $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$, $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $8\frac{1}{2}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
Trim— $\frac{3}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{8}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
bullnose, $\frac{1}{2}" \times 2" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$ extended depth
Shapes—All necessary shapes for regular and special-technique installations
Cove base— $\frac{1}{2}"$ radius in all field sizes

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DEALER

SPECIFICATIONS

Enamel-coated aluminum tiles shall be a standard commercial product similar to that manufactured by the Vikon Tile Corporation from 25-gauge 3S half-hard aluminum of 0.020" thickness and chemically treated by the alodizing-process standards.

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SIZES AND SHAPES

Field— $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$, $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $8\frac{1}{2}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
Trim— $\frac{3}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{8}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
bullnose, $\frac{1}{2}" \times 2" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$ extended depth
Shapes—All necessary shapes for regular and special-technique installations
Cove base— $\frac{1}{2}"$ radius in all field sizes

VIKON TILE CORP., WASHINGTON, N. J.

DEALER

SPECIFICATIONS

Brass tiles shall be a standard commercial product similar to that manufactured by the Vikon Tile Corporation and shall be manufactured from 65/35 polished, grained brass 0.015 inch thick and coated with a baked-on, transparent synthetic-resin enamel.

Tiles shall be furnished in required sizes and include special shapes, corner beads, etc. Tiles shall be cemented to surface with waterproof Vikon mastic and cleaned after installation according to the manufacturer's specifications.

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SIZES AND SHAPES

Field— $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$, $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $8\frac{1}{2}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
Trim— $\frac{3}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$ (flat or bullnose)
Shapes—Out-corner and in-corner beads

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DEALER

SPECIFICATIONS

Copper tiles shall be a standard commercial product similar to that manufactured by the Vikon Tile Corporation and shall be manufactured from half-hard solid copper of 0.015" thickness and coated with a baked-on, transparent synthetic-resin enamel.

Tiles shall be furnished in required sizes and include special shapes, corner beads, etc. Tiles shall be cemented to surface with waterproof Vikon mastic and cleaned after installation according to the manufacturer's specifications.

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SIZES AND SHAPES

Field— $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$, $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $8\frac{1}{2}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
Trim— $\frac{3}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$ (flat or bullnose)
Shapes—Out-corner and in-corner beads

VIKON TILE CORP., WASHINGTON, N. J.

DEALER

SPECIFICATIONS

Stainless-steel tiles shall be a standard commercial product similar to that manufactured by the Vikon Tile Corporation and shall be manufactured from an alloy of 18% chrome and 8% nickel of 0.015" thickness and furnished in a #3 polish.

Tiles shall be furnished in required sizes and include all special shapes, corner beads, etc. Tiles shall be cemented to surface with waterproof Vikon mastic and cleaned after installation according to the manufacturer's specifications.

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SIZES AND SHAPES

Field— $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$, $4\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $8\frac{1}{2}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$
Trim— $\frac{3}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$, $2\frac{1}{4}" \times 8\frac{1}{2}"$ (flat or bullnose)
Shapes—Out-corner and in-corner beads
Cove base— $\frac{1}{2}"$ radius in all field sizes

VIKON TILE CORP., WASHINGTON, N. J.

DEALER

HAVE BEAUTY AND SAVE

Harmonious colors fused on chromitized (rust-proofed) steel tiles will dress up your kitchen and bathroom walls.

Vikon's zinc-plated, bonderized steel tiles are completely enveloped in an epoxy-base chromate primer before finishing with a hard, glossy, baked-on enamel, to provide the utmost in anti-rust protection.

These low-cost tiles cannot burn or warp under high heat. They are light in weight, which means that no extra supports are needed in second-story walls.

So easy to clean, and so nice to look at!



chromitized
steel

CHEERFUL, CLEAN AND COLORFUL

Aluminum—the modern, lightweight, rust-proof metal—and nonfading, nonchipping, baked enamel are fused together to give you economical and lasting tile beauty in your kitchen, powder room, bath, and laundry.

Whatever your preference in color—from pure white to jet black—you'll find your favorites in Vikon's range of 25 modern shades. And best of all, walls of Vikon tile keep that first-day sparkle for a long, long time.



enameled
aluminum

A DIFFERENT TILE

Vikon has captured the living flame of firelight in its solid-copper tile.

The perfection of its beautifully grained surface is permanently protected by a crystal-clear coating of colorless, baked-on enamel, so that it never need be polished. Wiping with a damp cloth or mild soapsuds keeps it shining clean.

Easy to install, this tile can be applied to any solid, dry, smooth surface in the kitchen, bath, and powder room, or in decorative panels in the living or dining room.

Copper tile is safe anywhere, for it's fireproof, and installation is speedy because the tile is easy to cut and bend.



solid
copper

THE GOLDEN TOUCH

Vikon has captured the rich glow of Spanish gold doubloons to dress your walls with treasure-colored, solid brass tile.

For ageless beauty with a modern touch, use Vikon brass tile to complement your kitchen fixtures and hardware.

It's so easy to keep clean because it is tarnish-proofed with a baked-on coating of transparent enamel that shrugs off dirt and grease.

The golden touch of solid brass tile will enrich areas of your dining and living room walls. And for the smartest-of-smart powder rooms, Vikon is the "top brass" of all wall coverings.



solid
brass

TILE WITH STAINLESS STEEL

Vikon stainless-steel tiles installed on your walls guarantee extraordinary durability and speedy, easy cleaning.

The rich, grain-polished finish and the inherent corrosion resistance of these tiles make them ideal for walls exposed to grease spattering, steam, alkalis, acids, and where walls must be kept sanitary and gleaming.

Easy to install, this tile can be applied to any solid, dry, smooth surface, indoors or out.

For impeccable beauty that keeps its just-new look for year after year, choose Vikon stainless-steel tiles.

FOR THE HOME

Over the stove . . . the kitchen sink . . .



counter tops. Around the washboard in the powder room or lavatory . . . In the shower stall.

FOR HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, AND DINERS

Over the back bar. Behind the coffee urn . . . the water cooler. Around the side walls of kitchens. Behind the dishwasher . . . sterilizer . . . mixer

FOR HOSPITALS AND LABORATORIES

On the walls of the operating, treatment and utility rooms. Behind equipment in chemical or photographic laboratories.

FOR FACTORIES AND DAIRIES

In the washrooms . . . showers. On the cafeteria and kitchen walls. In the laboratory.

stainless
steel